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DELIVER TO NEA/ARN AT OPENING OF BUSINESS

E.O.11652: GDS

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SUBJECT: 0900 LEBANON REPORT

1. BEIRUT BEAUTIFULLY QUIET. THOSE IN CHANCERY NEIGHORHOOD, HOWEVER, HAD A UNPLEASANT FEW MOMENTS LAST NIGHT WHEN EMBASSY'S MILITARY DETACHMENT MOVED OFF TOWARD HOTEL AREA TO EXTRICATE SOME SOLDIERS WHO WERE APPARENTLY IN TROUBLE. ALL HELL BROKE LOOSE FOR A FEW MONUTES BUT ONCE THE SHOOTING STOPPED, THERE HAS NOT BEEN ANOTHER ROUND FIRED.

2. ALL AMERICANS CONTINUE SAFE AND WITH THE EXCEPTION OF ONE SEABORNE EXTRACTION FROM RABIYA, WHICH IS CURRENTLY UNDERWAY, WE KNOW OF NO REPEAT NO AMERICANS IN INSECURE AREAS.

3. DIALOGUE COMMITTEE OF 20 MEETING THIS AFTERNOON. NEVERTHELESS KARAME-CHAMOUN TENSION CONTINUES AND COULD LEAD TO FURTHER TROUBLE.

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4. EVACUATION CONTINUING AND ALL DEPENDENTS SHOULD BE OUT BY

MID-WEEK.

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